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Applicant(s): Christen; Scholl

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Title: Method and System for Assessing Combustion Noise in an Internal Combustion  
Engine

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